

HOUSE BILL 3826

By McCord

AN ACT to amend Tennessee Code Annotated, Title 49,
Chapter 6, Part 30, relative to school attendance.

BE IT ENACTED BY THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF TENNESSEE:

SECTION 1. Tennessee Code Annotated, Section 49-6-3007, is amended by adding the following language as a new, appropriately designated subsection:

() For each five (5) times a student is tardy to school in a school year, the student shall be counted as having been absent one (1) day from school.

SECTION 2. This act shall take effect July 1, 2008, the public welfare requiring it.